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Group Art Unit 1743

For : INTEGRATED SAMPLE-PROCESSING SYSTEM

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Applicants provide herewith, in response to the Notice, (1) a copy of a Request for Change in Fee Status submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office today, under separate cover, asking that applicants' fee status be changed from small entity to large entity status, and (2) a check for \$1630.00 for payment of the large entity issue fee (\$1330.00) and publication fee (\$300.00).

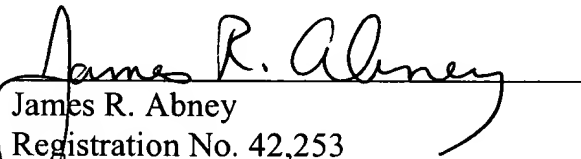
Applicants agree with the Examiner's conclusions regarding the patentability of the allowed claims, without necessarily agreeing with or acquiescing in the Examiner's

reasoning during prosecution (including, but not limited to, the reasoning stated in the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance). In particular, applicants believe that the application is allowable because the prior art fails to teach or suggest the invention as claimed, independent of how the Examiner may have characterized or paraphrased the invention during prosecution.

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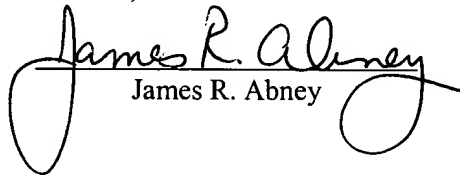
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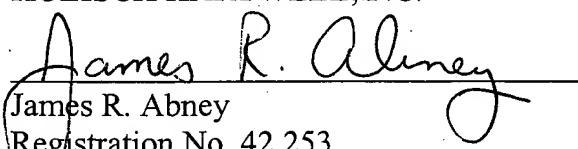
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